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NAVY DEPARTMENT,

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 4, 1889.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the District Commissioners a committee to solicit subscriptions from the Navy Department and Navy for the relief of the sufferers by the great calamity which has fallen upon Pennsylvania, beg to say that the Secretary of the Navy has appointed Mr. M. S. THOMPSON, of the Navy Department, to receive such subscriptions as may be made for this purpose by all persons connected with the Navy. The value of all contributions will be greatly enhanced by the promptness with which they may be transmitted. Checks should be made payable to the order of M. S. Thompson.

DAVID D. PORTER,

*Admiral.*

C. R. P. RODGERS,

*Rear Admiral.*

MONTGOMERY SICARD,

*Captain.*